

St. John's Infant & Nursery CE School Pupil Premium Strategy 2018-2019



Main barriers to educational achievement faced by pupils eligible for the Pupil Premium Grant at St John's

Barrier 1	Barrier 2:	Barrier 3:	Barrier 4:	Barrier 5
Children often come into school at a lower baseline in reading. We aim to narrow/eradicate this gap each year that they attend St John's.	Children often come into school at a lower baseline in writing. We aim to narrow/eradicate this gap each year that they attend St John's.	Children from a variety of backgrounds may have suffered early trauma, anxiety, attachment issues which can be a barrier to learning.	Home/additional academic support. Sometimes there is a gap between the support provided at home due to parental skills or financial means e.g. to access tutor support.	Enrichment opportunities to develop skills in foundation subjects

2018-2019 Budget					
Year R- Year 2					
Nursery	Early Years Pupil Premium				
TOTAL		£25,080			



Barrier 1 Children often come into school at a lower baseline in reading. We aim to narrow/ eradicate this gap each year that they attend St John's	How we will spend the pupil premium. LSA/teacher increased support to provide more one to one reading opportunities in school One to one teacher intervention support to narrow gaps in children's learning. AFL of in-class	Why use this approach? Regular reading is key to supporting rapid progress in reading By using one to one support children are having the opportunity to receive teaching that reflects their	 How we will measure the impact? Pupil progress meetings Data (progress and attainment) Progress against individual targets SLT monitoring and evaluation schedule to measure impact and adapt if necessary. 	Evaluation of impact on pupil achievement
	learning to inform planning of intervention work Daily reading for pupil premium children.	personalised learning needs. Some children from disadvantaged backgrounds have less opportunities for reading at home therefore daily reading helps to ensure they are been given the chance to read regularly.	Parental feedback	
Barrier 2 Children often come into school at a lower baseline in writing. We aim to narrow/ eradicate this gap each	 One to one teacher intervention support to narrow gaps in children's learning. AFL of in-class learning to inform 	By using one to one support children are having the opportunity to receive teaching that reflects their personalised learning needs.	 Pupil progress meetings Data (progress and attainment) Progress against individual targets 	



year that they attend St John's.	 planning of intervention work Interventions such as Precision Monitoring, Fischer Pupil conferencing with Pupil Premium children. Inclusion Leader to meet with Pupil Premium children regularly to review their targets. Early intervention in Early Years is important to identify gaps. 	Recommendation by EP service as showing rapid progress Early intervention in an approach specifically suited to Foundation Stage children.	 SLT monitoring and evaluation schedule to measure impact and adapt if necessary Evidence in books. Intervention records Monitoring with EP Achievement data Evidence in Learning Journals 	
Barrier 3 Children from a variety of backgrounds may have suffered early trauma, anxiety, attachment issues which can be a barrier to learning.	 Play therapy with qualified counsellor for 12 weeks of sessions. Nurture group for vulnerable pupils. 	We use the PPG grant to give children access to counselling and play therapy that others may be able to afford. We have found that if children have better mental health they are more ready to learn. Inclusion Leader to run Nurture groups for vulnerable pupils.	 Pupil voice Attendance Parent/ school discussion Achievement data 	



Barrier 4 Home/additional academic support Sometimes there is a gap between the support provided at home due to parental skills or financial means e.g. to access tutor support	 One to one teacher intervention support to narrow gaps in children's learning. AFL of in-class learning to inform planning of intervention work One to one teaching assistant sessions before school to boost children's learning 	By using one to one support children are having the opportunity to receive teaching that reflects their personalised learning needs.	 Pupil progress meetings Data (progress and attainment) Progress against individual targets SLT monitoring and evaluation schedule to measure impact and adapt if necessary 	
Barrier 5 Enrichment opportunities to develop skills in foundation subjects	 Small group violin tuition Clubs e.g. ballet, street dance, drama, football School trips/enrichment activities 	To give children the opportunity to develop their skills and learning in foundation subjects as well as core subjects.	 Pupil progress meetings Teacher feedback Pupil voice Pupil Feedback Attendance Parent/ school discussion Foundation subject tracking 	

Date of strategy review:

